

FINAL BREAK WITH MURPHY.

MAYOR MCLELLAN CUTS THE CABLE FOR GOOD AND ALL.

Big Tim Sullivan Said to Have Told the Tammany Chief That His Day Is Over but There Is Talk of a Murphy-Hearst-O'Dell-McCarren Combining in These Parts

Mayor McClellan and Charles F. Murphy are parted for good and all, according to Democrats yesterday who said they spoke by the card. Neither the Mayor nor Mr. Murphy would say a word for publication. It was learned, though, that shortly before five and since January 1, Frank O'Donnell had been the go-between between the Mayor and Mr. Murphy, and that the Mayor's attitude toward him because of his appointments that he had instructed Mr. O'Donnell to bring him no more messages from Mr. Murphy and had said that he would have no communication with Mr. Murphy, oral or written.

Coming on top of this statement was another to the effect that Representative Timothy D. Sullivan had personally informed Mr. Murphy that he could not hope to remain leader of Tammany, and that the quicker he became convinced of this the better it would be for the organization. Mr. Sullivan last night would not speak of anything that had occurred at any interview between Mr. Murphy and himself. It is a long story—this parting of Mayor McClellan and Mr. Murphy—and dates almost from the hour of the Mayor's nomination, when he announced to the Democratic city convention that participation as an officeholder in his first administration did not necessarily imply a continuance of the job in his second administration. During the campaign there were many stories of friction between Mr. Murphy's headquarters at the Wigwam and the Mayor's headquarters at the Hotel Bartoldi. Many of the reports were to the effect that Mr. Murphy and his chief lieutenants at the Wigwam were committing political blunders which had to be offset, as much as possible, by sterling work at the Mayor's headquarters.

Then, too, on election night Mayor McClellan authoritatively announced that he would keep every promise made by him on the stump. This, it was said at the time, was not pleasant reading to Mr. Murphy. Pending the settlement of the Hearst contest Mayor McClellan and Mr. Murphy had two talks. At one of these, it was made known at the time, Mayor McClellan reiterated his avowals of the campaign and Mr. Murphy candidly admitted, so a veracious chronicler declared, the political squariness of the Mayor's utterances.

Then came the Mayor's search for competent men to fill the important commissions. During that troublesome time, it was asserted yesterday, Mr. Murphy changed front and insisted that the Mayor should appoint to office men who did not size up in abilities or standing to the public declarations of the Mayor. Mr. McClellan, it was said, refused to accept Mr. Murphy's suggestions, and just about that time Tammany men very close to Mr. Murphy began to talk in confidential whispers about a "combine" that was under way between Mr. Murphy, Representative William R. Hearst, Chairman Benjamin B. Odell, Jr., of the Republican State committee, and Senator Patrick H. McCarren, leader of the Kings county Democratic organization.

This "combine" was to be operative, it was asserted, in the approaching State campaign, and was to be effective in all judicial, Congress, Senate and Assembly districts in New York city.

Undeterred by this talk Mayor McClellan went on his way and finally announced his selections for the commissions, and as a clincher indicated in his accustomed forceful manner that the deputies to be selected by the commissioners were not to be appointed until he himself had passed upon their capabilities and character. All this, it was averred, was in consonance with the declarations of Democrats, Republicans and Independents that the Mayor owed his reelection only to his own sterling character and the approval by nearly all classes of New Yorkers of his first administration.

Mr. Murphy and those close to him were greatly dissatisfied by the Mayor's appointments. That they did not sufficiently represent the Tammany organization was the chief criticism. For a reply the Mayor's friends pointed out that Mr. Murphy was evidently unaware of the changed political conditions in New York city; that the voters for a number of years had demonstrated that broader political vision and more independent action, especially in the matter of appointments, were essential, and finally that the iron rule which had been the chief tenet of the Tammany organization for a hundred years and more would no longer be tolerated by the voters.

Then it was that Mr. O'Donnell, representing Mr. Murphy, became a daily visitor to Mayor McClellan. Mr. Murphy's complaints were emphatic, but the Mayor's sole reply was that he had no desire to quarrel with any of his old friends, but he insisted that the men to be appointed to office during his second administration must come up to the standard prescribed by him. Mr. Murphy, it was said, seemed to think that the Mayor should consult him, and him alone, as to selections, whereas the Mayor adopted the policy of consulting with other influential Democrats, and with Republicans and Independents.

Daily the feeling became more intense and at last the Mayor, according to the very best information yesterday, requested Mr. O'Donnell to bring him no more messages, oral or written, from Mr. Murphy, and this became known at the Democratic Club last night with the story of the sharp interview between Representative Sullivan and Mr. Murphy.

Several Democrats at the Club said that to all appearances there was a working arrangement between some of Mr. Murphy's friends in Tammany and Mr. Odell, Representative Hearst and Senator McCarren, and that this would become apparent as the days passed.

Mayor McClellan has caused it to be made known that in the selection of Republicans for bi-partisan boards the recommendations of Senator Platt and other anti-O'Dell Republicans are to be accepted.

"DAILY NEWS" DROPS TAMMANY.

The Daily News, owned by a company of which Thomas C. Quinn is president, has dropped Charles F. Murphy and the Tammany organization, and is coming out to-day as an Independent Democratic paper, supporting Mayor McClellan. It will urge a

REORGANIZATION OF THE LOCAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

Mr. Murphy has been reputed to be the real owner of the News ever since the paper passed from the hands of Frank Munsey, two years ago, but he says he wasn't. He seemed a bit surprised when informed of the change of policy.

"I know nothing about it," he said. "I have known Mr. Quinn, the owner, for some time, but I have not seen him in two weeks and do not know anything about his paper. The report that I ever owned the paper is absolutely EXACTLY false and now and never did have any interest in it whatever."

MODERN X-RAY WORK.

Kidney Taken Outside for Removal of a Stone.

An operation with an unusual feature was performed yesterday at Roosevelt Hospital. A private patient had been suffering for some time with stone in the kidney. The exact location of obstructions of this sort is sometimes determined by the X-rays before the operation of the patient. The surgeon in charge of the case decided yesterday to find the stone, which was very small, by putting the organ to the rays after taking it out of the body. The patient, after being etherized, was laid face down. About a dozen medical men were present. It was essential that the operation should be swift. A sweep of the knife over the affected part revealed the kidney. Within a minute the surgeon had the kidney out as far as he could get it readily. He held it in his hands as if it were not an essential possession of the unconscious gentleman prone below it, and with the fluoroscope found the almost microscopic stone, to which the lance opened a channel. A moment later the forceps gripped the little stone and the attending doctors were inspecting it.

Within about seven minutes after the first stroke of the knife the kidney had been put back in place and the lips of the slit in the back sewn together. Fifteen minutes later the patient was back in his room.

The operation is said to be one of the first in which an affected organ has been searched by X-rays after removal from the body. Its quickness and thoroughness, it was said by a doctor present, were assurances of its success. The same doctor said he did not see why the liver, some other vital organs could not be examined in the same thorough manner. The operation seemed to him to preclude splendid possibilities in surgery.

WRIT FOR DR. SIMPSON.

He Is to Be Brought to Brooklyn at Request of His Lawyer.

Supreme Court Justice Kelly, in chambers in Brooklyn late yesterday afternoon, issued a writ of habeas corpus directing the Sheriff of Suffolk county to produce Dr. James Wadell Simpson, the dentist who has been held by the Coroner on a charge of deliberately shooting and killing his father-in-law, Bentley T. Homer at Northport, L. I., in the Brooklyn court on Friday.

The application for the writ was made by George H. Alexander, attorney for the accused dentist. Mr. Alexander declined to discuss his object in getting the writ, but it is understood that an effort will be made to have Dr. Simpson released on the ground that the evidence produced before the Coroner at Northport was not sufficient to justify holding him for the Grand Jury.

CARNEGIE DIDN'T AID.

Keir Hardie Denies That He Helped Labor Party in British Elections.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—James Keir Hardie, the well known chairman of the Independent Labor Party and member of the House of Commons, has telegraphed in response to an inquiry that the story to the effect that the success of the Labor party in the recent elections was due to a large contribution to its funds by Andrew Carnegie is untrue. He adds:

"Mr. Carnegie in 1890 sent £100 to my election fund, which I forwarded to his locked out and starving workmen at Homestead, since when he has not troubled us. Our election campaign fund comes from trade unions, the Independent Labor Party and Socialists."

BACK UP ANTHRACITE DEMANDS.

Miners Go Beyond Mitchell and Pledge Support to 8 Hour Day and Recognition of Union.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 23.—Evidence of friction that has been known to exist between President Mitchell and Vice-President Lewis came to the surface to-day in the miners' convention.

Lewis declared there ought to be an explanation of how things were going in the anthracite field, and said that even he, a vice-president of the organization, had never been advised of the steps taken.

Mitchell denied that he had tried to conceal any of the policies of the organization or that he dictated them. He said he did not know what the anthracite committee was going to demand, as its demands had not yet been formulated.

The spat confirms the report that Lewis has insisted on an aggressive policy in the Pennsylvania fields and has been disgusted with what he terms Mitchell's dilatory methods. That the convention is with Lewis evidenced when the convention pledged the support of the bituminous miners to the fight of the anthracite miners for an eight hour day and recognition of the union.

GEN. WHEELER ILL.

Has Pleuro-Pneumonia as the Result of a Recently Contracted Cold.

Gen. Joe Wheeler, the famous veteran of two wars nearly forty years apart, who is laid up with an attack of pleuro-pneumonia at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sterling Smith, 173 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, will, it is expected, fight his way back to health unless some unfavorable developments should intervene.

The attack resulted from a severe cold contracted while the old soldier was attending a dinner in Manhattan recently. Mrs. Smith expressed strong confidence last night that Gen. Wheeler would recover, and Dr. John A. McCormick, the attending physician, said his patient was holding his own and that no alarming symptoms had appeared during the day. Under the most favorable circumstances Gen. Wheeler will be confined to his home for three weeks or more.

LATEST MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived: St. Rotterdam, Rotterdam, Jan. 19, at 12 P. M. Liverpool, 20, 12.

OVERNIGHT TO CHICAGO.

The eighteen-hour train leaves New York 3:35 P. M. Arrives Chicago 8:55 A. M. via Pennsylvania. Arrives New York 9:45 A. M. via Pennsylvania. Arrives New York 9:45 A. M. via Pennsylvania.

AGREE-ON HEPBURN RATE BILL.

HOUSE COMMITTEE TO REPORT THE MEASURE TO-DAY.

Republicans and Democrats Make Concessions to Gain the Moral Effect of a Unanimous Agreement—Principle Is Retained—Sure to Pass the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—By an agreement reached to-day between the Republican and Democratic members of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce a unanimous report will be presented from that committee to-morrow in favor of the Hepburn Railroad Rate bill. This action insures the passage of the measure in the House.

Several changes and modifications were made in Chairman Hepburn's original draft of the measure but the principle is retained. A number of concessions were made to the wishes of the minority in order that a unanimous agreement might be reached. On the other hand the Democrats decided not to make a minority report upon the Dacey bill, in view of the fact that the Republicans accepted several of its provisions, some in language and some in principle.

Both sides agreed that the moral effect both upon the Senate and upon the country of a unanimous agreement upon a rate bill would be far better than a quibble and difference over minor details. The Democrats declared that while there were several features of their measure which they would like to have incorporated into law they did not regard them as essential to rate legislation and would prefer to have the House present a solid front upon the main issue rather than to attempt the hopeless task of having all their ideas adopted. They maintained that the Hepburn bill as amended by the committee contains the chief features for which they have been contending.

The principal change made was in the language respecting the maximum rate, which a carrier may charge. The original draft empowered the commission to determine and prescribe what should be "a just, reasonable and fairly remunerative maximum rate," and to issue an order to prevent the carrier from charging a rate in excess of the maximum rate so prescribed. The amended bill reads "a just, reasonable and fairly remunerative rate to be therefor observed as the maximum rate to be charged," and that after an order is issued by the commission the carrier shall not collect, charge or demand a rate in excess of the maximum rate so prescribed. When the Republicans made the concession the Democrats agreed to join with them in the report unanimous.

Several amendments were also made to define more clearly certain terms in the bill and to make it more explicit and less liable to misinterpretation. Another concession was made to the Democrats in the form of an amendment providing that the commission, in cases of appeal on questions not involving damages, need only transmit its conclusions. The Democratic contention in this respect was that the court should pass merely upon the law in the case, and not upon the facts or findings of the commission.

The Democrats abandoned their point respecting "the long and short haul" clause, and Mr. Townsend did not press his amendment regarding "differential rates." When the amendment was reached to amend the bill so as to provide for seven instead of nine commissioners, each at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

Chairman Hepburn will write the report on the bill and Mr. Townsend will make the opening speech when it is taken up in the House. It is expected that the measure will be passed some time next week.

LIBERAL SWEEP KEEPS UP.

Eight More Seats Gained in Yesterday's Election—Nine Retained.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The latest election returns show that the Liberals continue to add to their already great majority. To-day they gained eight seats and retained nine already held by them. The Laborites and Unionists each gained one seat.

There have now been elected 529 of the 670 members of the House of Commons. Of this number 121 are Unionists.

KING TO VISIT BRIDE-ELECT.

Alfonso Going to See Princess Ena—Celebration in His Honor.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN.

BRISTOL, Jan. 23.—King Alfonso, who is coming here to see his bride-elect, Princess Ena of Battenberg, will arrive on Friday, travelling from San Sebastian in an automobile. He will be the guest of Princess Frederika of Hanover. The French Government is making elaborate preparations for his protection. It has already surrounded the Princess Ena and her mother with detectives, and is increasing the force here in readiness for the King. The weather is cold but sunny.

The Princess and her mother go driving and shopping daily. King Alfonso and Princess Ena exchange illustrated postcards daily, he inscribing his in English and she hers in Spanish. Villa Mouris, where the Battenbergs are staying, is besieged by Spanish photographers and journalists trying to get pictures and interviews. They are unable to understand why they are more unapproachable than members of the Spanish royal family.

ALICE, Jan. 23.—There was a brilliant celebration here to-day in honor of King Alfonso's name day. The warships were decorated in rainbow fashion with flags and they fired many salutes. The Duke of Almodovar, head of the Spanish mission to the Moroccan conference, received the other delegates in the town hall this morning. The Admiral of the Spanish flag ship Carlos V. gave a reception aboard of that vessel in the afternoon. All the delegates and officers from the garrison at Gibraltar attended. The affair was a dazzling success.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The Biarritz correspondent of the Telegraph quotes a German authority as saying that a rumor William will attend the wedding of King Alfonso and Princess Ena to show his regard for the former. The authority also refutes the report that the Kaiser did not approve the match because he wanted the King to marry a Mecklenburg Princess.

DISTURBANCES IN CHINA.

Trouble in the Lower Provinces Because of New Regulations.

From THE SUN Correspondent at Peking.

PERIN, Jan. 23.—Reports of minor disturbances and grievances reach the Diplomatic Corps daily from the southern provinces. The troubles are not regarded as directed against foreigners. They are believed to be caused by the Government's adoption of certain modern methods.

\$120,000,000 FOR YOUNG FIELDS.

Bulk of Fortune Left to the Three Grandchildren.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—What purported to be a resume of the principal bequests made by the late Marshall Field was made public this afternoon on the authority of a member of the family who was present when the will was read to the family last Saturday.

The principal beneficiaries are: Field Columbian Museum, \$8,000,000; Mrs. David Beattie, only daughter, \$8,000,000; three grandchildren of Marshall Field—Marshall Field 3d, aged 12; Henry Field, aged 9, and Wendell Field, aged 4—each about \$40,000,000; and three sisters of Marshall Field, each \$100,000.

Smaller sums were left to various charities in which Mr. Field was interested. Old family servants also were remembered.

ANARCHISTS URGED TO ACT.

Letters Purporting to Come From Paterson Call for Death of Governors.

MONONGAHELA, Pa., Jan. 23.—Chief of Police Leo Logan early this morning made a raid which he believes has resulted in the unearthing of an anarchistic headquarters.

Among other letters found was one signed by Peter Foracki, Lacey Guggen and John Spiba, in which it was advised that the Governors of Pennsylvania and of other States should be killed.

The raid was on the house of John Spiba at Bayard. Around a long table evidence was found of a very recent meeting of men. On the walls were pictures of men cutting off the heads of others, and still other pictures of men stabbing their fellows, which, it was explained, represented poor men evening up with the rich.

There were many anarchistic letters, and among the correspondence were letters from Liborio Lewigino, who gave his address as 465 Madison street, Paterson, N. J. The writer urged that the Monongahela people get out and stir things up.

Two men, Michel Carrazola and James Allen, have been murdered by a secret band lately.

POULTNEY BIGELOW RESIGNS.

Panama Incident Results in His Leaving Boston Law School Lectureship.

BOSTON, Jan. 23.—Poultny Bigelow handed his resignation as special lecturer on international law at the Harvard Law School to-day. It was accepted. It is understood that it will be accepted at once. Mr. Bigelow's connection with the recent Panama incident is said to have been the cause of the resignation, which was virtually forced.

This is Mr. Bigelow's second resignation of his lectureship at Boston University, the first having resulted from criticism following his severe strictures upon the black and yellow races in a series of lectures before the law students of the university last year. That resignation was not accepted, even when the lecturer repeated and elaborated his views at a subsequent lecture.

RUSCH'S SON-IN-LAW A SUICIDE.

Arthur Julius Magnus, a Millionaire, Shoots Himself as Dinner Guests Assemble.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—While guests were assembling in the reception room downstairs, their host, Arthur Julius Magnus, a millionaire, son-in-law of Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis brewer and vice-president of the A. Magnus & Sons Company, stood before a mirror in his dressing room on the floor above and shot himself through the heart to-night. He died instantly.

A maid sent by Mrs. Magnus to learn the reason for her husband's delay found him lying on the floor with a revolver a few feet away.

Police men sent to the Magnus mansion were unable to obtain information that might furnish a motive for the deed. Relatives said Magnus had everything to live for and that he had appeared to be in good spirits.

Mr. Magnus, who was 45 years old, had suffered from heart disease recently. Friends suggested that dread of death had made him melancholy.

ANOTHER COME-ON OF DUKE.

Man Who Offers Appointments for Sale Arrested Again.

William Duke, who has been in the same fix before, was arrested last night and locked up in the Mercer street station on a charge of having obtained \$500 from Dennis Ryan of 779 Sixth avenue, more than a year ago, by the understanding that he would get Ryan a job on the police force.

Ryan showed Sergt. McCarren, at the Mercer street station, last night, this receipt:

Received of D. Ryan, \$500, as per verbal agreement.

Duke got into the same kind of trouble a year ago. He was sentenced to serve six months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$100 for getting \$500 from John E. Erickson, of 156 East Forty-eighth street, on the promise that he would get Fitzpatrick a place in the Fire Department. At that time Duke was employed by the New York Cab Company. He is still employed by the company. He got bail readily yesterday.

MAY SHAKE NO MORE HANDS.

Mayor Brush of Mt. Vernon Suffering With Blood Poisoning.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Dr. Edward F. Brush, Mayor of Mount Vernon, is suffering from blood poisoning as a result of shaking hands with people who come to see him on official business. The forefinger on his right hand is badly swollen, which necessitates his having it dressed three times a day. Mayor Brush announced to-day that he will probably put an end to shaking hands in the future, as this is the second attack of this kind that he has had within a year.

It was a week ago when he shook hands with a woman caller, and in doing so one of her diamond rings scratched the knuckle of his forefinger. Mayor Brush did not pay much attention to the wound at first, but three or four days later his finger began to swell and continued to do so until to-day the back of his hand is infected.

SEABOARD FLORIDA LIMITED—DAILY.

Electric lighted leaves New York 12:25 noon. Hand-some, quickest, Florida train via shortest route through attractive winter resorts. Office, 113 Broadway, office SAVANNAH LINE. Tickets at reduced rates to all points South.—Ad.

STEAMER LOST; SIXTY PERISH.

VALENCIA GOES DOWN NEAR PUGET SOUND ENTRANCE.

Pacific Coast Vessel Driven on the Rocks Near Cape Beale in a Dense Fog—Nine Persons Reach Land—Boat Load Was Also Seen Going Toward Victoria.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 23.—The steamship Valencia of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's passenger fleet, which has temporarily replaced the City of Pueblo on the San Francisco-Puget Sound route, was driven to destruction in a dense fog yesterday midnight ten miles east of Cape Beale, which marks the northern entrance to Puget Sound. Between sixty and seventy lives were lost.

The scene of disaster is historic as the place of the Michigan's loss just a decade ago. How Capt. Johnson was so far to the north from his course is still unknown. The names of the lost and saved and the material details of the disaster are lacking at this writing.

One of the ship's boats, with six men, arrived this afternoon at Beale, whence communication is open via the Bamfield cable station. They report nine survivors also ashore fifteen miles from the lighthouse and a ship's boat well filled was seen at 1 P. M., passing Carmanah and heading toward Victoria.

Fragmentary information now available to the effect that the machinery of the Valencia in some minor particular went wrong and, disabled, she drifted on the rocks, which rise precipitately almost from the water's edge to a height of three or four hundred feet.

The passengers awakened from sleep to face imminent death, and many lives were lost in the confusion.

The ship had ninety-four passengers and sixty in the crew. Nearly all these are still about the wreck at last advice. It threatened to break up at any moment. Their plight is so perilous that rescue seems impossible.

Two men, who succeeded in climbing a little way up the cliff, had not advanced beyond high water mark and found descent and retreat alike impossible. The tide was rising when they last were seen, and their fate seemed obvious.

A lady dropped her young child into the sea in striving to pass it to her husband. A little boy of 5 was cast back upon the ship after being swept overboard while running about the deck crying for his mother, whom the waters had engulfed.

The boat arriving at Cape Beale shelter could give no connected story of the calamity. When the wreck was reported the steamer Salvor was dispatched from here at 3:35 P. M. It was followed two hours later by the steamer Queen, which landed her California board passengers here in order to offer immediate relief to her sister liner.

The C. P. R. steamer Queen City, on her regular coasting voyage, is due at the scene at 6 o'clock to-night, and the whaler Orion is understood to have hastened from Suchart to afford aid. None of the others can hope to be of service until to-morrow morning, by which time, if wind and weather hold bad, there will be little left of the ship.

While positive information as to the danger point is unavailable, the rescue fleet, increased to-night by the steamer Cleat, is headed for Pachena Bay, where the sea drives inland for half a mile or more. The bay is almost landlocked, but near the entrance are the sea bird rocks, believed to be the place where the Valencia struck.

Dense fog and southerly gales, blowing from fifty to sixty miles an hour, are believed to explain the fatal variation of the captain from his course.

AFTER SUPT. KILBURN NOW.

Assembly Committee Will Ask for Investigation of State Banking Department.

ALBANY, Jan. 23.—The Assembly Banking Committee decided to-day that the State Banking Department should be investigated by the Legislature. The committee will make a report to the Assembly on Thursday morning and a resolution providing for an investigation will be presented at that time.

No charges against the Banking Department were presented to the committee. The only matter pertaining to an investigation was the letter of Supt. Frederick D. Kilburn. The committee was in session but a short time, and after it adjourned Chairman Wainwright said that there was a sentiment in the committee that the methods pursued by the Banking Department should be investigated, as well as the law under which the Banking Department operates.

This action is taken to indicate that there will be a legislative investigation and it will be a thorough one if it is made by the Assembly Banking Committee, some of whose members have expressed the opinion that the Superintendent has not been as thorough as he should have been. It is for that reason that they want to examine the law closely to see if the fault rests with it or the Superintendent. Then again they feel that an incompetent administration can work about as much damage as a dishonest one.

In his letter Mr. Kilburn said he would assist the Legislature to make a thorough investigation, and the committee has taken him at his word.

FOUR CARS PASSED OVER HER.

Colored Woman Who Jumped Before Elevated Train Found Unhurt.

Susan Gibson, a colored woman, 32 years old, jumped in front of a northbound Third avenue elevated train at the 106th street station about 6 o'clock last night. The police found her lying between the rails under the fourth car unhurt. She was locked up on a charge of attempted suicide.

The Fastest Long-Distance Train in the World is Twentieth Century Limited, the 19-hour train between New York and Chicago via New York Central Lines.—Ad.

ROOSEVELT WON'T UN AGAIN.

Has Not Changed His Mind About a Third Term. His Close Friends Say.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The closest friends of President Roosevelt know that Mr. Roosevelt will not be a candidate for a third term. They know that his mind is irrevocably made up on this subject. Not only will he not again be a candidate for the Presidential nomination, but he will not accept the nomination if it is offered to him.

After his declaration on the night of his election for the term which he is now serving, the President feels that no authoritative announcement of his position is necessary. That position has not changed in any degree and the confidants of the President have the best of reasons for being absolutely certain that he will leave the White House on March 4, 1909.

CLUB SUSPENDS WAKEMAN.

Who Interrupted a Speech at the Union League Last Fall.

Wilbur E. Wakeman, secretary of the American Protective Tariff League, was suspended from the Union League Club for seventy days because of things which happened at the club's reception to Gen. Horace Porter on November 9. Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Loyal Legion, was speaking and Mr. Wakeman arose and said:

"Mr. President, I submit—"

Cornelius N. Bliss, who, as president of the club, was presiding at the reception, ordered Mr. Wakeman to sit down. Mr. Wakeman refused and continued to demand a hearing until Mr. Bliss ordered him removed from the room. Then he retired of his own accord.

QUAKER DINNER FOR GRISCOM.

Men Will Be Served in One Room and Women in Another.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 23.—The dinner which Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Clothier have planned for Ambassador to Brazil Lloyd Griscom, which Miss Alice Roosevelt and her fiancé, Representative Nicholas Longworth, will attend, will be according to the Quaker mode.

The dinner will take place Friday night at the Bellevue-Stratford. There will be two tables in two rooms, which will be separated by a partition. In one room the women will sit and in the other the men. There will be no communication between the two rooms until after the last course is served. Then the women will go into the men's room to hear the speeches.

ICE CREAM RAISES REVENUE.

Festivals Bring in the Funds Used by the New Isle of Pines Government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—A republic founded on ice cream festivals is rather unique. But the latest information from the Isle of Pines is that the financial foundation of the provisional government there is being derived from ice cream suppers given by the administration women. "Delegates" Ryan, who was sent here by the American residents of the Isle, said to-day that the women had taken up the matter of supplying revenue for the struggling government in this way.

"The first festival yielded \$80," said "Delegates" Ryan, with a gleam of triumph in his eyes.

The funds are to be used in paying the expenses of the new cabinet ministers and other officers elected by the temporary government.

EUCHRES SHERIFF OF BERGEN.

McDonald Can Now Go Home, Pay No Rent and Sleep in Peace.

Donald J. McDonald, clerk at 25 Broad street, this city, who resides at Rutherford, N. J., has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities \$225 and no assets. He has only two creditors, the Rutherford Heights Association, \$175 on a judgment for rent, and the Fidelity and Casualty Company, \$50 premium on a bond. He filed the petition to save himself from arrest in New Jersey on account of the judgment for rent. He stated that he was afraid to go home, owing to threats of arrest there, and he